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Re: Statement of Substance of Interview  
U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/994,846  
Attorney Docket No. MAS.009 (FJ-2001-030-US)

Examiner Zhou:

Enclosed is a Statement of Substance of Interview, which we request be made of record, for the personal interview conducted on September 13, 2005.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

  
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Enclosure (Statement of Substance of Interview: 2 pages)

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

SUGIMOTO, Mika

Serial No.: 09/994,846

Group Art Unit: 2173

Filed: November 28, 2001

Examiner: Zhou, Ting

For: HOMEPAGE CREATION AND UPDATE PROGRAM

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Sir:

In response to the requirement that a statement of the substance of an interview be placed in the record, Applicant hereby submits the following.

Applicant gratefully acknowledges Examiner Zhou and Primary Examiner Bayerl for taking time from their busy schedules to conduct a personal interview on September 13, 2005, for the above-referenced Application. The interview was courteous and professional, and it is believed by Applicant's representative that prosecution has been advanced because of this interview.

Concerning the substance of the interview, Applicant's representative presented a summary of the present invention as providing a method to automatically generate a homepage. As explained during the interview, one of the aspects of the present invention is that it has the capability of automatically rearranging images for the homepage in accordance with selected incidental information transmitted with the image data from the electronic

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Interview Summary

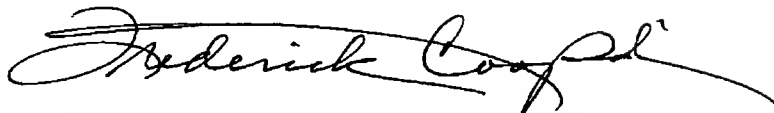
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camera. The prior art of record does not indicate such capability.

The Examiners suggested that claims be amended to incorporate reference to the source of the incidental information as coming from an electronic camera.

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